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INAUGURAL ADDRESS OF GOV. GRAVES

New Chief Magistrate Acts Diving Guidelines and Dedicated Himself to the Service of All the People of Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala.—With impressive ceremonies Governor Graves was inaugurated as Alabama's Governor Monday, Jan. 13. The incoming Governor, after a short speech of welcome, delivered his inaugural address wherein he dedicated himself to the service of the people of Alabama, in short, the most impressive twenty-minute address.

The complete text of Governor Graves' address was as follows:

Follow Citizens:

There was divine guidance of those that made the constitutions and modified the customs of our God-fearing fathers.

If one can assume the duties and responsibilities of the Machinery of Government in this state, it must under solemn oath give into a covenant with his people that he will support the Constitution both of the State and of the nation, and will faithfully discharge the duties of the office, and to this end we solemnly bind the aid and advice of Almighty God.

A willing manager in his home to do his will, I have come to dedicate myself to the service of all of Alabama.

I know that there is nothing good unless God be in it, and I trust in His power to make my little effort worth while.

Our raw materials, fuel and power, economic living conditions and opportunities are the best in the world.

Our soil and climate are as good as the best. Alabama is the garden spot of the world. But today our country is in trouble and we must press. This is temporary, it is very acute. There must be no new taxes. There must be no new taxes. Those already borne.

Our soil and climate are as good as the best teachers. Alabama in the Indian tongue means "Thickened, Cleared," the best invention of man.

Our electric iron age.

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their faith. The men who direct the big wings of business in our public schools; that I am against religious, fraternal or class hatred being injected into our public schools or into any other part of our public life.

It is better and cheaper to maintain our own institutions of higher learning than to send our young people away to other states. It is better and more economical to keep the foundations upon which rest the constitutions and laws of the future, known that the children of our ancestors have done their duty in keeping the faith of their fathers, and that the surest security under the sun is the surest security under the sun.

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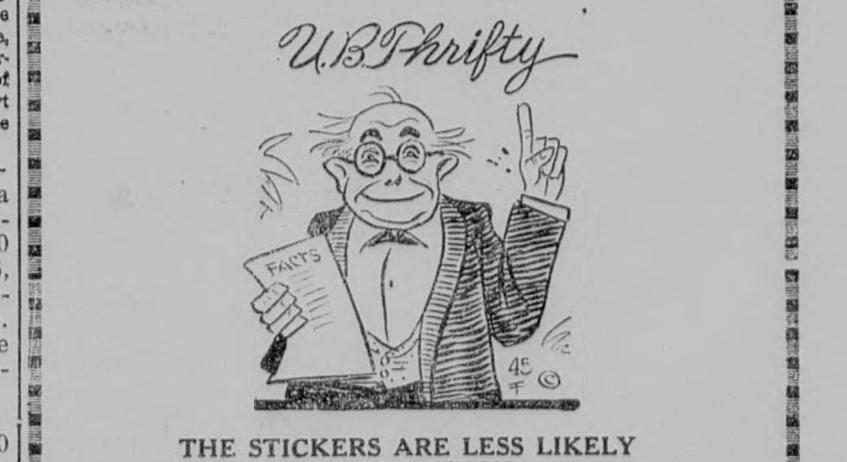
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Blotting paper and a warm blanket will usually remove candle wax from clothes or table cloths.

Live poultry sometimes shrinks as much as 17 per cent in weight during the time it is in transit to market.

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Of first meeting in Bankruptcy, In the District Court of the United States Court for the Middle District of Alabama, Southern Division.

In the matter of C. H. Conner, Bankrupt; Possefico, Collector, Trustee, his attorney.

The aforesaid party having been adjudged a bankrupt, under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to Establish a Uniform System of Bankruptcy Throughout the United States," approved July 1st, 1898, a meeting of creditors of said bankrupt is called at the office of the undersigned, in the United States Courthouse, Dothan, Alabama, on the 3rd day of February 1927 next, at 10 o'clock A. M., to make proof of debts and for the election of a trustee, and such other matters as are necessary and required by the Acts of Congress aforesaid.

Dothan, Ala., Jan. 22, 1927.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK OF KINSTON, ALABAMA.

No notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the Farmers & Merchants Bank of Kinston, Alabama has gone into voluntary liquidation, the undersigned being the appointed liquidating agent by the State Superintendent of Banks, and all creditors of this bank are hereby notified and requested to come in, prove their claims against the bank and receive such amounts as may be due them by the bank.

Witness my hand, the January 25, 1927.

J. L. MIXSON,
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Forest fires are on the decrease in Alabama. Figures compiled by Col. Page S. Bunker, State forester, Montgomery report that only 1 per cent of the land affected was burned over in 1925, as compared with 34 per cent in 1924 and 36 per cent in 1923. Farmers are taking more precautions to prevent them.

The 1927 convention of the Alabama Press Association will be held in New York City on March 1st and 2nd, and the Alabama editors will make the trip to and from New York by water, according to official announcement made by Horace Hall, Dothan, secretary of the Alabama Press Association. The editors will assemble in Columbus Ga., May 6, and go to Savannah where they will take a boat for New York arriving there during the week of the 10th. They will leave New York on the 12th and arrive at Savannah on the 15th.

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Just received—a shipment of Hot-Shot Batteries.
Star Auto Company.

Agriculture should make cotton as profitable, as lucrative as any other occupation.

A successful farmer is a farmer who makes his farm feed the people and livestock fed on it and return an income so that he and his family can have those things which money will buy.

Farmers around Guntersville, Marshall County, Alabama, have bought 7,000,000 onions plants this season. They are growing cotton, tobacco, truck crops also, thereby adding other money to cotton.

One hundred years ago 80 per cent of the people of the United States were engaged in agriculture as compared with 28 per cent at present; and still the biggest national agricultural question is how to manage supplies of farm products.

An associated Press dispatch from Agassiz, B. C., states that a hen at the University of British Columbia, especially a farm laid 351 eggs last year, setting a world record. According to the report the previous record was held by an Australian hen, which laid 347 eggs in 1924.

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RHOADES SCHOOL NEWS.
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Yes, we failed to get any news this week but we have lots this week.

The joint teachers meeting which was held at Kinston Jan. 13th was a great success and we are in signs of improvement as the result.

Our basket-ball teams are continuing to improve. Yes, we have two now, a boys team and a girls team. The girls team is not as strong as we hope to make it. We had a double-header game with Brooklyn Jan. 13th. Rhoades came away 66-5 and the girls winning 66-5 and the girls losing 66-5. These Cheers for R-H-S. When it rains it pours. We had another double-header game Friday, January 21st. It was one of the best with a great crowd of spectators. The boys played Fairview and won the game 51 to 6. Our boys played fast but easily triumphed the Fairview five. The girls played Kinston but lost. Our girls were outmatched, however, they held them to a score of 13 to 2.

On Saturday night we had a most interesting Parent-Teacher meeting, with the best attendance we have had since organizing. A program on music was given by the students.

From Kinston came out and gave us several patriotic numbers. We hope they will all come to our next meeting which will be held Friday afternoon, February 4.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sims spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wise had as their dinner guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Newsome and daughter, Rebecca, Misses Minnie Pearl Powell, Glovie Deal, Eva Cleary of Coffee Springs, and Mr. Tommie Donaldson of Kinston.

Aunt Het.

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THOMAS FOLSON.

Thomas Folson, the subject of this article, was born Feb. 2nd 1850 near Tabernacle, Coffee County, Alabama, and died at New Brockton, December 3rd 1926. About 53 years ago he was a boy of 16 years old. He was a hobo and he worked for the Lord built up a real Christian home in which his children were educated and well trained for real christian service.

About 47 years ago Bro. Folson with his good wife united with the Tabernacle Church and lived true to the vows which he took to the day of his death, never doing or saying anything which would bring reproach to the church.

Bro. Folson was brought up at a time when educational advantages were few and therefore he did not have the opportunities that we have today.

He was honest in his dealings and charitable in his judgement of other people.

Bro. Folson leaves a wife and seven children, Mr. Marlin, Charlie, Susie, and Alba live at New Brockton, Elisha at Flora, Pervis and Tom at Miami Fls.

Funeral services were held at Tabernacle Church, conducted by Rev. J. S. Johnson, pastor of the Baptist Church at New Brockton, assisted by Rev. J. W. Moore, pastor of the Methodist Church at New Brockton. Beneath a profusion of beautiful flowers his body was laid to rest to await the resurrection morning when the mist will be cleared and joy eternal will have come to the people of God.

Up there we expect to meet him. Servant of God well done.

The glorious warfares past; The battles fought, the race is won;

And thou art crowned at last

—A Friend.

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